

Docket No. 03008

PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

David M. REED *et al.*

Group Art No.: 1754

Application No.: 10/786,621

Confirmation No.: 2048

Filed: 25 February 2004

For: PHASE FORMATION OF OXYGEN REDUCED VALVE METAL OXIDES AND  
GRANULATION METHODSRESPONSE TO "NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL PATENT  
APPLICATION - FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(B) - FILING DATE GRANTED"Mail Stop - Missing Parts  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

- I. In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application," mailed 17 May 2004, enclosed please find the following documents for the above-identified application.

- ☒ A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application - Filed Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) - Filing Date Granted."
- ☒ One signed combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

LARGE ENTITY STATUS

- II. Applicant is other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify this paper (along with any document or paper referred to herein) is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent And Trademark Office on the date indicated below, to (703) 746-4060. Total pages sent: 14 pages.

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Martha Ann Finnegan

17 September 2004

Date

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**COMPLETION FEES****III. Completion Fees****1. Filing Fee**

☒ Original Patent Application \$ 770.00  
(37 CFR 1.16(a) -- \$770.00)

**2. Fees for claims**

☐ each independent claim in excess of 3 \$  
(37 CFR 1.16(b) -- \$84.00)

☒ each claim in excess of 20 \$ 774.00  
(37 CFR 1.16(c) -- \$18.00)

☐ multiple dependent claim(s) \$  
(37 CFR 1.16(d) -- \$280.00)

**3. Surcharge Fees**

☒ late payment of filing fee \$ 130.00  
and/or

☐ late filing of original declaration or oath \$  
(37 CFR 1.16(e) -- \$130.00)

**Completion Fees Due \$ 1674.00**

**EXTENSION OF TERM****IV. Extension of Term**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

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Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> One month	\$ 110.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months	\$ 420.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months	\$ 950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months	\$ 1,480.00

Extension Fee Due \$ 420.00

☒ *If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.*

☐ An extension for month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$

or

☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

V. The total fee due is:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Completion Fee(s)	\$ 1,674.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension Fee (if any)	\$ 420.00
<b>Total Fee Due</b>	<b>\$ 2,094.00</b>

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**PAYMENT OF FEES**

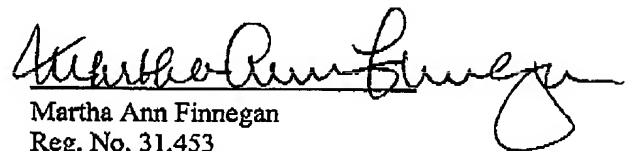
- VI. ☐ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$
- ☒ Please charge **Deposit Account Number 03-0060** of Cabot Corporation the sum of \$ 2,094.00. (A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.)

**AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES**

- VII. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper under 37 CFR 1.16, or processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 associated with this communication and during the entire pendency of this application to **Deposit Account Number 03-0060**. Please credit any overpayments to **Deposit Account Number 03-0060**.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 17 September 2004

  
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## FORMALITIES LETTER

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$774 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1674 for a Large Entity

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- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$774
  - \$774 for 43 total claims over 20.

Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts  
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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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